



There are single pennies that sell for \$100.00. There are nickels worth many dollars-dimes, quarters, half dollars and dollars on which big cash premiums are paid. Each year a fortune is offered by collectors for rare coins and stamps for their collections. The prices paid are amazing



I DOES not seem possible that a single after dollar could be sold for \$2,000 cc. Yet below is an illustration of one such coin for which we paid dollar which was originally picked up in cancilation and which as much in demand by collectors, and we reachly paid this small fortune to secure it for one of our customers.

#### \$140.00 to This Farmer's Wife for Three Old Coins

Interesting, and entirely truthful stories, of the dy sures—often, in fact, small fortunes—that have come to those who have come to those who have pic ked valuable old to the small from circulation, or found them among their keepsakes, can be told almost with-Famous 1809 Dollar for shich ar poul 82,000 to 16 Mr. Manning

Famous 1809 Dollar for shich ar poul 82,000 to which she had brought her produce, three old coins were placed in her hand. A 2cw weeks later the "Fulton Sun" announced in its columns that tortune had smiled on this lady. She had sold those coins "to a Numismatic Company in Texas" for \$140.00 cosh.

#### 8800.00 Paid to a Ticker Agent for a Single Old Coin

Such old coins show no favoritism in the good fortune they bestow. Farmers, merchanits, lawyers, mechanics, bankers, students, clerks and housewises have profited. People in every walk of life have found rich reward watting for them when these valuable old coins have some into their possession.

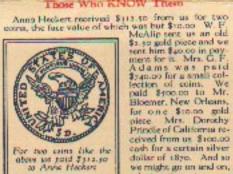
Through the window of the office where he sold tackets at Brooklyn Bridge, an old half-dollar cume to M. L. Holstein. That single corn put \$500.00 profit in this ticket agent's pocket. And just recently we read in the newspapers of the country where Mrs. Frank G. Hadame, wife of the owner of a movie thester in Waveross, Georgia, rereived in change a dollar for which "a Foet Worth coin dealer" offered her \$1.200.00 cash.

William Sullingin. New Haven, Connecticut, was offered \$2.000.00 for a single coin which he was for-

find. In Philadelphia, a gentleman did nothing more secretary than to purchase a cigar only to fine that in the change given horn was one coin for which successo was paid.

C. W. Lewis of Burlington, N. J. sold a single penny for square. Andrew Henry of Lewiston, Idaho, received a like amount for a similar coin. The expense for another year at college was provided to J. D. Martin of Richmond, Virginia, by the \$200.00 which we paid him for a single copper and

#### Old Coins Offer Rich Rewards to Those Who KNOW Them



profits that have been paid to those that have been made the richer by knowing when they held a valuable toin.

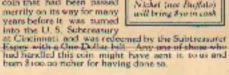
#### Where Do Such Coins Come From? What Is It That Gives Them Value?

Valuable coins are often originally picked up from circulation by some fortunate person. These coins travel from band to hand, often for years, with those who receive them passing them out again unconscious of their real value, as was the case when a

movie for in Wayeress. Georgia, passed out in payment for a ticlet a dollar for which \$1,500 co was afterwards offered. Many people, at times, have carried such come in their pockets—come that would have brought them a hand-some figure had they simply been posted on values.

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To get profit from old come requires knowledge regarding them and their values. Frequently a handsome reward will slip through the fingers, solely because the owner of a coin lacks this information. Such was the case with a coin that had been passed perfilly on its way for many.



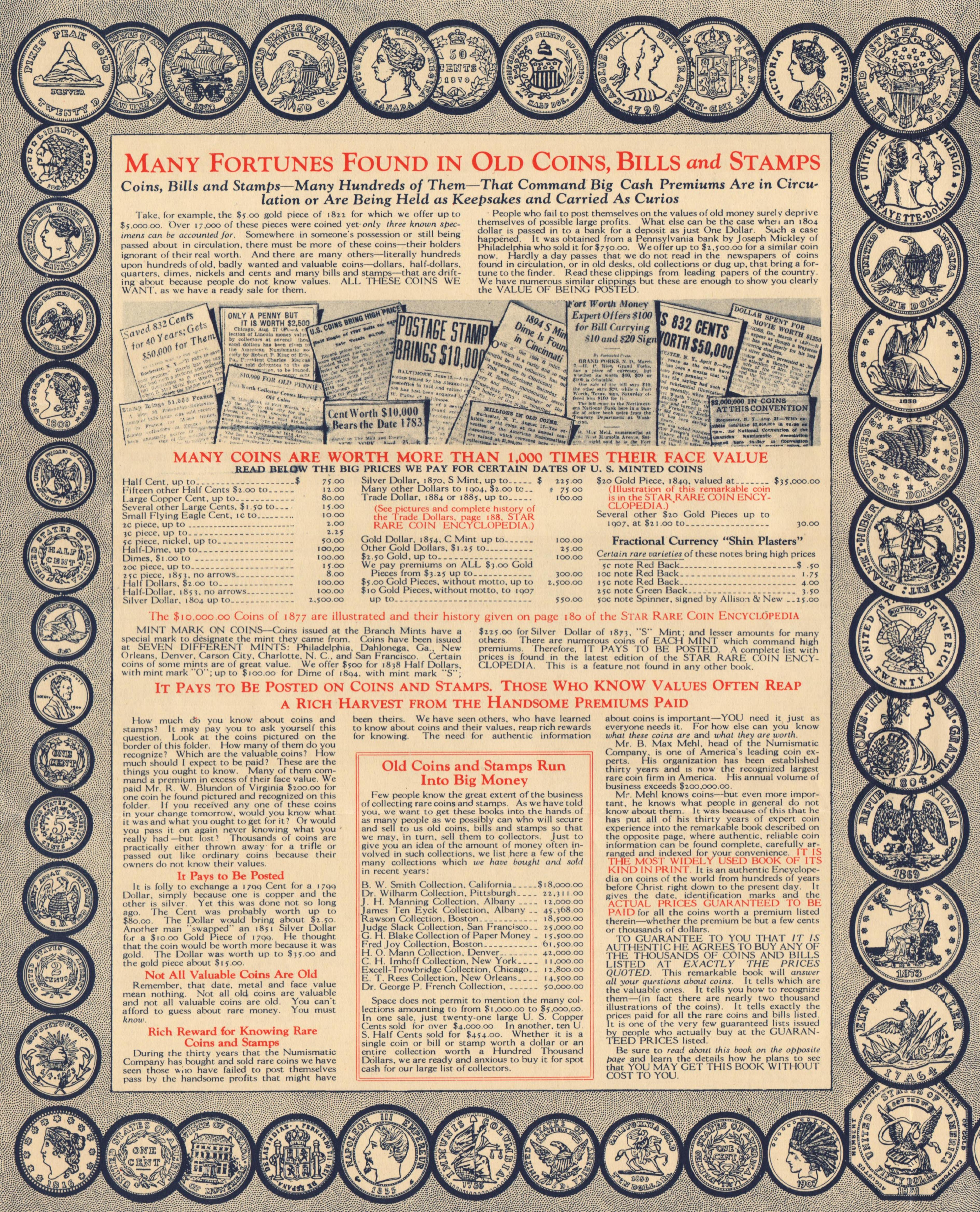


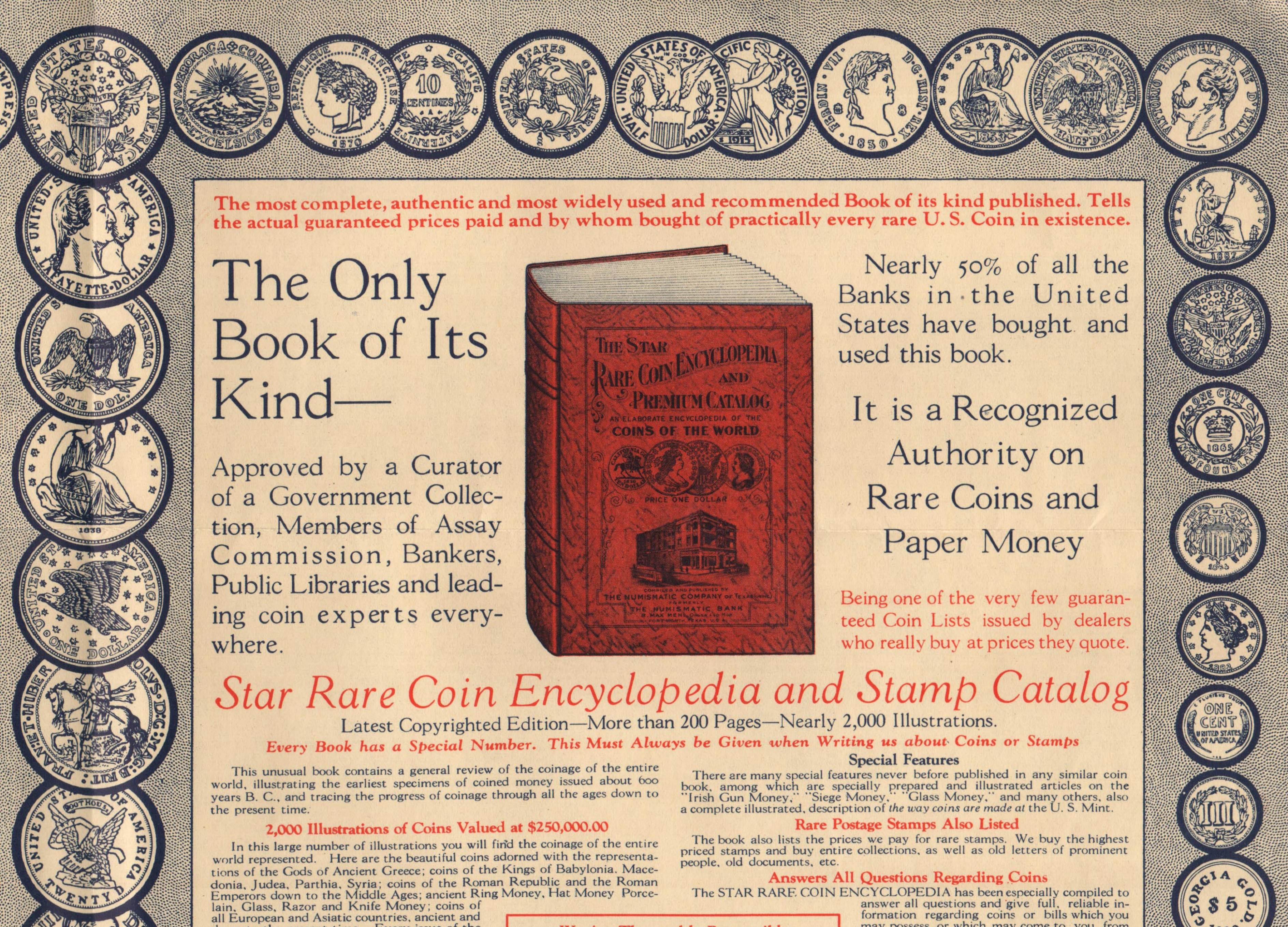
#### Only Those Who Know Shall Be the Ones to Profit

Contrary to what many people think, it is neither size, nor age, nor metal, nor face value that deser-mines the price offered for a coin. Secrety of the coins and the state of preservation determines prices.



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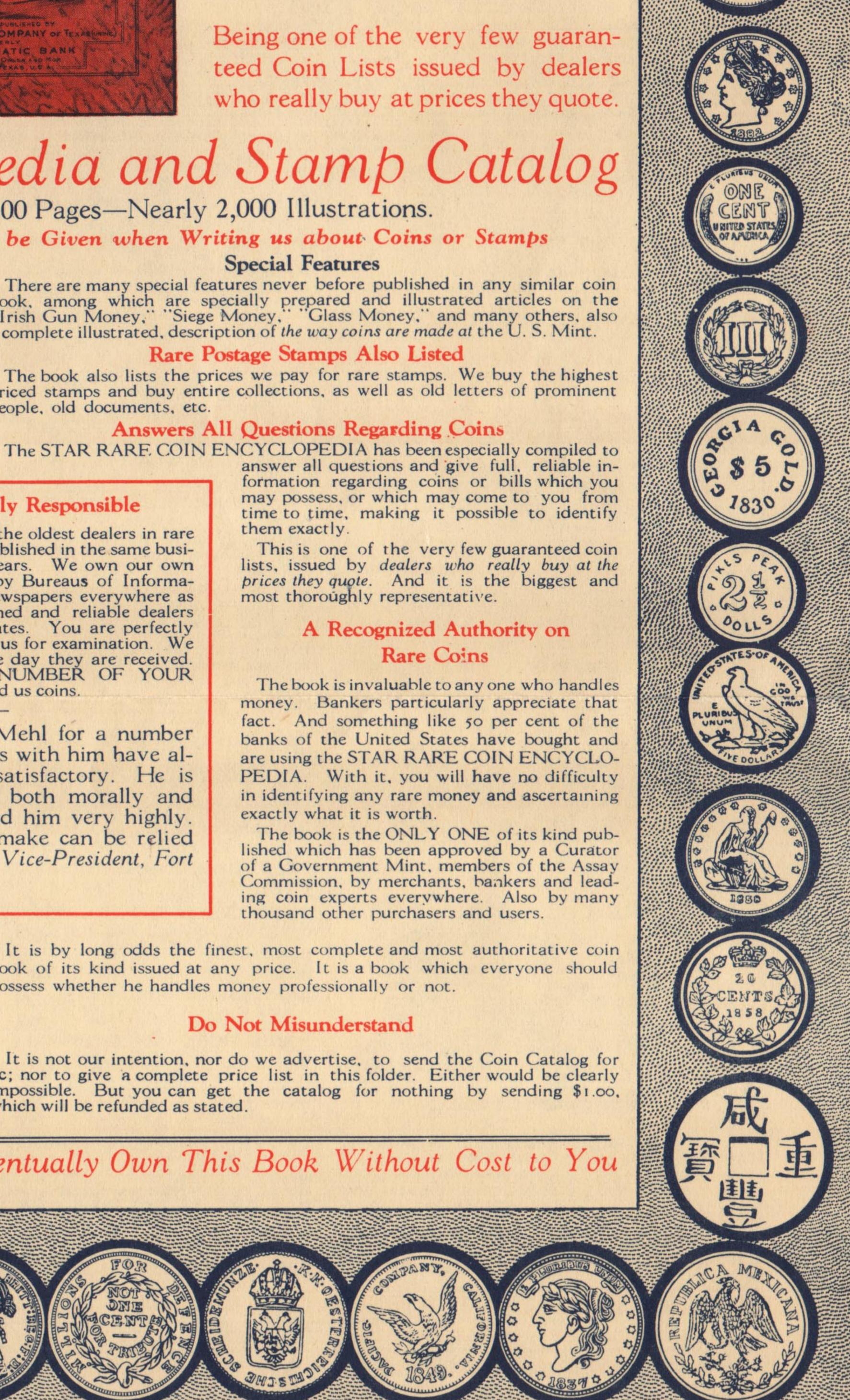
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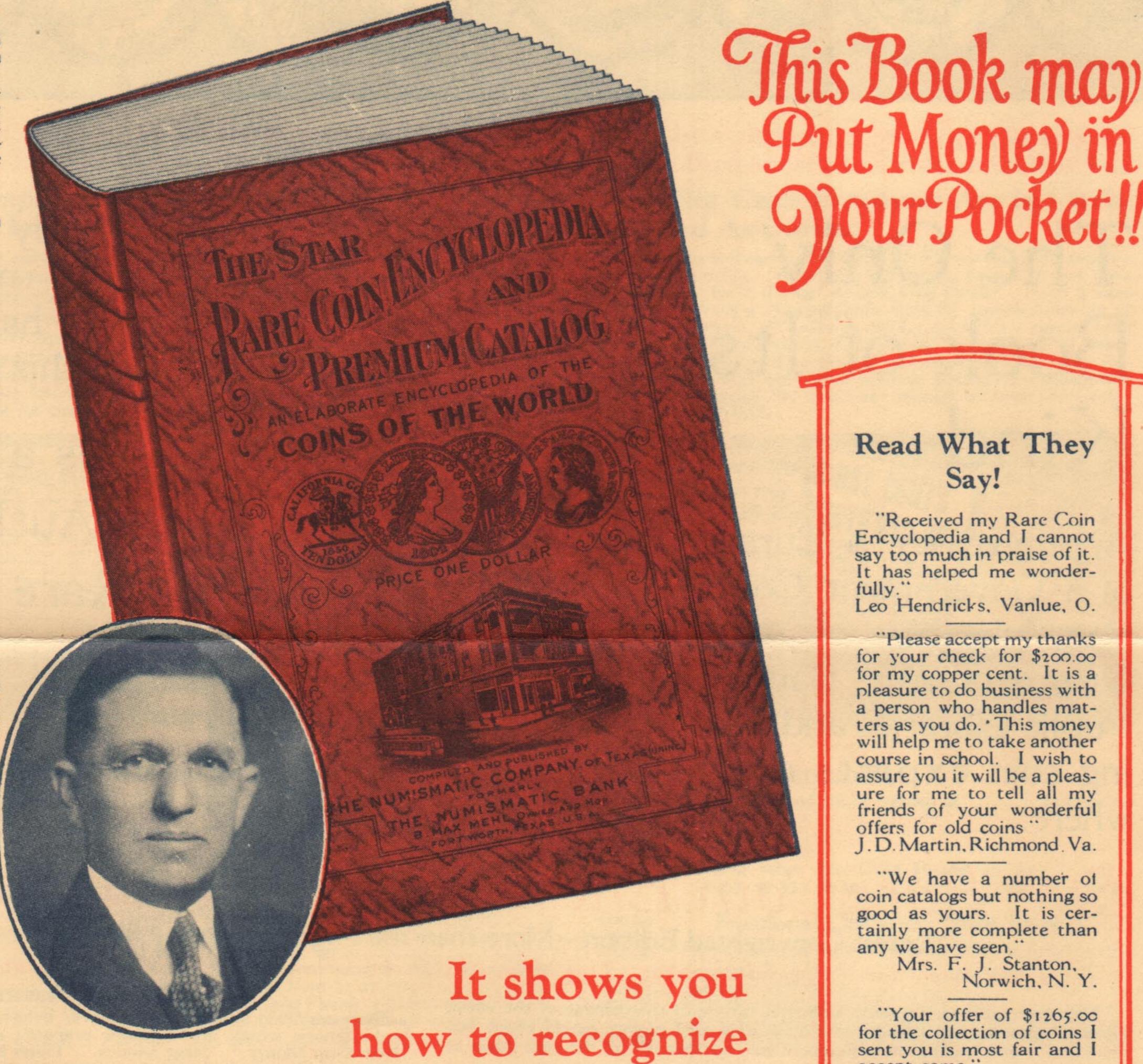
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